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MEDIA ADVISORY

SAPD ACCEPTING TOYS & APPLICATIONS FOR BLUE SANTA PROGRAM

The San Antonio Police Department is announcing the beginning of its toy collection drive for the 2005 Blue Santa Program. Beginning November 1, 2005, all San Antonio Police sub stations will serve as drop off locations for any new, unwrapped toys to help needy families with children, through the holiday season. Each substation will have a collection box to hold the gifts being donated. Corporations and community groups with larger donations, but have no way of transporting their gifts can make arrangements with Blue Santa's Elves in Blue to get the toys to the warehouse.

Applications will be available beginning November 1, 2005, for those wishing to submit their names as recipients of the Blue Santa Program. Individuals must apply in person at the nearest police substation. For further information on the Blue Santa Program or substation nearest your location, please contact the Blue Santa Hotline at (210) 207-7175.

Below is a list of area Substation drop-off locations:

North Patrol

13030 Jones Maltsberger
207-8126

Central Patrol

515 S. Frio
207-7410

East Patrol

3635 E. Houston
207-7781

South Patrol

711 W. Mayfield
207-8191

West Patrol

7000 Culebra
207-7420

Prue Patrol

5020 Prue Rd
207-7425

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